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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated February 5, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application, as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 6, without prejudice or disclaimer, and amend claims 1-5, 7, and 8 as shown in clean form below. A Marked-Up Copy of the amended claims is attached.

- 1. (Amended) A lens shape measuring apparatus, comprising:
- a lens fixing jig installed in a lens to be processed to clamp the lens;
- a lens rotation shaft for clamping and rotating the lens to be processed;
- a measuring element abutted on a refracting surface of the lens clamped by the lens

rotation shaft;

a measuring unit for measuring a moving distance of the measuring element; and